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PROPOSED PROJECT CHALICE [REDACTED]

PLAN B

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1. Under this plan the Project CHALICE [REDACTED] Unit will be established as a separate detachment at a suitable [REDACTED] base. Although it will be a separate detachment, the Table of Organization will be reduced to a certain extent and be augmented by personnel from Detachment B as required during the conduct of operational missions.

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2. The [REDACTED] Detachment would be composed of approximately [REDACTED] [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] with the Commander being a [REDACTED] officer. A breakdown of personnel by rank, job, title, and nationality is attached as Enclosure 2. This Table of Organization is presented as a general guide; the exact breakdown to be a result of further discussion.

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3. Being based on [REDACTED] composed of a significant number of [REDACTED] personnel, and commanded by a [REDACTED] Officer, this detachment should be designated as a unit which would compare most closely with the normal [REDACTED] designation of a unit which conducts aerial weather observation.

4. In order to maintain pilot proficiency, two U-2 aircraft and one T-33, and an appropriate amount of support equipment, to include camera configurations, will be provided from Project CHALICE sources. Maintenance of aircraft and associated equipment would be done by U.S. personnel in the same manner as at other overseas detachments.

5. A Concept of Operations to include method of target selection is attached as Enclosure 1.

2 Enclosures

1. Concept of Operations
2. Table of Organization

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